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Appl. No. 08/260,536
November 10, 2005

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Reconsideration of this application is requested. Claims 332-338, 342, 352, 367-374, 384-387, 392-399 and 403 are in the case.

I. THE INTERVIEW

At the outset, the applicants wish to express their appreciation to the Examiner (Examiner Le) for discussing this case on November 10, 2005. Pursuant to that discussion, the claims have been amended such that claim 332 is the sole independent claim in the case and the remaining claims are dependent, either directly or indirectly, thereon. Subject matter canceled has been deleted without prejudice to the possibility of presenting that subject matter in a separate continuing case.

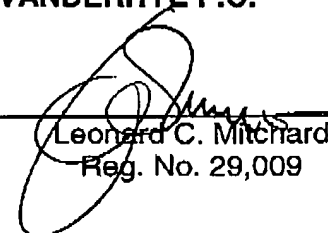
II. SPECIFICATION

The specification has been amended to insert the generic terminology for "taxol", namely "paclitaxel". The same change has been made to claim 368. No new matter is entered. Favorable action is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

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